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OUTLINES.

In Santiago after Tuesday midnight, Cuban police wantinly made a bloody attack on Americans from the gunboat Tacoma, shooting and hacking them with machetes; ten sailors were injured and one will die from a fractured skull and a bullet in his lung.——An explosion in a coal mine in Fayette county, West Virginia, yesterday entombed 81 men, of whom 74 climbed to the air shaft while 7 are supposed to be dead.——In a May day riot of working men in Paris yesterday many people were shot, sabred or trampled.——Penned in a burning building in Chicago yesterday 100 people, mony women, struggled in a panic to escape from one narrow window; fifty or more were injured, some being pushed off the fire escape to fall to an alley where others jumped down from the window on top of them.——The fast flyer on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad was wrecked near Ravenswood, W. Va., yesterday afternoon; twenty persons were injured, two seriously.——On the witness stand in New York yesterday Mme. DeMassey denied that she shot Gustave Simon and stated that when she left his office another woman was there.——The first election in the new State of Oklahoma will be held in August and Chairman James M. Griggs calls on Democrats all over the country to send one dollar to the campaign fund.——Secretary Taft returned to Washington from Ohio yesterday but refused to talk politics. ——President Mellen, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, called on President Roosevelt at the White House yesterday but declined to tell the newspaper men what they talked about.——The Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday heard several complaints from the South concerning freight discrimination, among them one against the Atlantic Coast Line alleging unreasonable rates on places from Macon.—— Admiral Dewey and officers who fought with him at Manila, May 1, 1898, last night in Washington celebrated the ninth anniversary of Dewey's victory over the Spanish.——The big balloon America which went up at St. Louis Tuesday afternoon landed yesterday in Illinois after a flight of 130 miles.——New York markets: Money on call firm, 2 to 4 per cent., ruling rate 2 1-4, closing bid 2 1-2, offered at 3; spot cotton, 10 points higher, closing steady at 11.55; flour, firm but quiet; wheat, strong, No. 2 red, 88 3-4 elevator; corn, steady, No. 2, 60 1-2 elevator; oats, firm, mixed, 47 1-2; turpentine, firm, 67 1-2 to 68; rosin, firm.

The Savannah Morning News states that on account of the April cold, the new cotton crop in Georgia is from ten to fifteen days late.

When North Carolina Republicans who stand for Roosevelt go to Washington to see the President they must advance to Marion Butler, give the countersign and get the password.

Now comes a London doctor to advise that people should eat to slow music. It would just be our luck, if we tried to keep time with the music the other eaters would get ahead of the game and leave us nothing but the music.

Roosevelt now has three classes for individuals who get too pesky and pernicious—"Ananias Club," "Rich Men's Conspiracy" and "Undesirable Citizens." If he's got anything against us he will please fire us into the second named class.

William Randolph Hearst has come to the conclusion that he is not a Democrat. If a good many more investigate themselves as thoroughly as Mr. Hearst has, they will also come to the conclusion that they have likewise been mistaken about the brand of their politics.

Says the Washington Post: "The Atlanta man who held up a dozen trolley cars in the effort to find the conductor who winked at his wife probably would have torn up the rails if the man had dared to smile at her." At any rate his actions indicated that he was satisfied that the conductor needed a few punches.

The Baltimore Sun inquires: "Is light injurious?" We concluded a couple of years ago that it is, or at any rate is something to be dreaded. We reached that conclusion when the Republicans in Congress strenuously and successfully resisted the efforts of the Democrats to have the light turned on in the departments at Washington by a Congressional investigation. Had you forgotten it?

Federal officeholders have heretofore believed that holding an office did not conflict with their right to have and to hold and to express their individual opinions and to exercise their choice when it comes to candidates. They know better now since they are given to understand from Washington that a man can't have individualism and an office at one and the same time.

THE COLONIAL DAMES

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Annual Meeting of North Carolina Society in This City Yesterday Morning.

THE ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Met at Home of Mrs. James Sprunt, Who Was Hostess at Elegant Luncheon—Interesting Colonial Relics for Exposition.

The annual meeting of the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames of America was held in this city yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the president, Mrs. James Sprunt, on South Front street, who was later hostess of the society and an elegant luncheon. There are a number of visiting members of the society here for the meetings and the several interesting events that are being held simultaneously, notably the unveiling of the handsome monument erected by the Dames to the memory of Cornelius Harnett and other Revolutionary heroes, and the annual pilgrimage to the ruins of old St. Philip's Church, down the Cape Fear river. It is estimated that there will be fully fifty members of the society here, including local members, for these interesting exercises.

The executive ssssion of the society at the home of Mrs. Sprunt yesterday morning was taken up with the annual reports and the annual election of officers for the ensuing fiscal year, which resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. James Sprunt, of Wilmington.

Vice-Presidents—Miss Carolina G. Meares, Wilmington; Mrs. Gilmer Brenizer, of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. M. A. Bland, of Charlotte.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. William N. Harriss, of Wilmington.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. E. L. Holloway, of Wilmington.

Historian—Mrs. Robert Strange, of Wimington.

Registrar—Mrs. William Latimer, of Wilmington.

Mrs. Gaston Meares, of Wilmington, is honorary president for life, while the honorary vice-presidents are Mrs. Virginia C. Empie and Mrs. John Wilder Atkinson, of Wilmington.

Yesterday afternoon the Dames were privileged to inspect the valuable and interesting collection of colonial relics, kindly loaned to the Dames for their exhibit at the Jamestown Exposition. A large number of priceless heirlooms from all parts of the State are to be found in the collection and the opportunity offered yesterday afternoon was highly appreciated by those in attendance. Mrs. Sprunt, president of the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames, will have personal charge of taking these relics to the Exposition and every safeguard will be thrown around them while they are on display.

This afternoon the Colonial Dames will unveil the handsome monument to Cornelius Harnett and on tomorrow will go on their annual pilgrimage to Old Brunswick, mention of which is made elsewhere in today's paper.

THE PEACE LECTURE.

Everybody Invited to Hear Mr. Hayne Davis—From Governor.

Emphasis is laid on the fact that the lecture to be given tomorrow evening in the Elks' Temple on North Front street by Mr. Hayne Davis, in the interest of the peace movement, is free to all, and that everybody will be welcomed. Mr. Davis will arrive in the city this evening and will be a guest at The Orton. On Saturday the North Carolina Peace Society will be perfected in its organization here. In this connection the following letter from Governor Glenn will be read with interest:

State of North Carolina,
Raleigh, April 29th.

I regret very much that I cannot be with you on May 3d to receive the flag. I am heart and soul in favor of the peace movement, and will do any thing I can to aid it, but before knowing of this important occasion I had made an engagement that renders it impossible for me to be present. Assuring you of my deep interest, I am yours very truly,

R. B. GLENN.

The North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames at their annual meeting in the city yesterday endorsed the peace movement and manifested sufficient interest to ask that seats be reserved for members of the Society at the lecture of Mr. Davis. It is barely possible that the place of the lecture may have to be changed to a larger assembly hall, but definite announcement as to this will be made tomorrow morning.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

W. L. I.—Attention.
Royal Arcanum—Attention.
Academy—Peruchi-Gypzene Co.
J. W. Harper—Steamer Schedule.
R. R. Richardson—Equitable Life.
Wrightsville—May Musical Festival.
Thos. F. Bagley—Wilmington Lodge.
Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.—You Need Money.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Salesmen.
A. N. DuBois—Announcement.
Gillett Light Co.—City Salesman Wanted.
Rev. Mr. McKenzie—Christian Science Lecture.

THE PETERS' GUN TROPHY

Contest Begins on Traps of Wilmington Gun Club Tomorrow Afternoon—Rules Governing Competition For the Prize.

The handsome silver cup offered by the Peters' Cartridge Company as a trophy for the trap shoots of the Wilmington Gun Club during the present season is expected to arrive within a few days and will be on display in the window of the Wilmington cigar store, No. 111 Princess street. The first of the shoots for this trophy will be held tomorrow afternoon and quite a little interest in the affair is being shown. The rules governing the contest are as follows:

"Each contestant is to shoot 25 Peters shells at each event and shoot 250 of the same shells during the season. Provided any contestant who enters this contest should fail to be present at any shoot for the trophy, he will be allowed to make up for his absence at any succeeding weekly shoot. The following handicap will govern the contest:

	Shoot from
50 per cent. and under.....	16 yards
50 to 60 inclusive.....	17 yards
60 to 70 inclusive.....	18 yards
70 to 80 inclusive.....	19 yards
80 to 90 inclusive.....	20 yards
90 to 100 inclusive.....	21 yards

The rate of each contestant is to be determined by the score made by him at first shoot in May for trophy, subject to handicap change throughout the entire contest on same basis.

MR. WM. GRAHAM HAUGHTON.

Well-Known Citizen Passed Away in Spartanburg—Remains Here.

Friends in this city yesterday learned with sorrow of the death of Mr. William Graham Haughton, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Haughton, of Pittsboro, N. C., which occurred at 11:20 o'clock Tuesday night at his home at Spartanburg, S. C., after an illness of some days with erysipelas. Mr. Haughton in January, 1892, married Miss Eliza Holmes, of this city, and was known to many Wilmington people. He is survived by his wife and one son, William Graham Haughton, Jr., aged about 10 years.

The remains of Mr. Haughton will be brought to Wilmington on the 12:45 P. M. Seaboard Air Line train this afternoon and will be carried to the home of his sister, Mrs. T. C. James, Second and Grace streets, until 5 o'clock in the afternoon when committal services will be held in Oakdale cemetery. The remains will be accompanied to Wilmington by the bereaved widow and little son; Gen. W. L. London and wife, of Pittsboro; Mr. Thos. H. Haughton and Miss Margaret Haughton, of Charlotte; Col. and Mrs. T. C. James, of Wilmington, and Mr. Owen McRee Holmes, of Newberry, S. C. The bereaved ones have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

LUMBERTON'S PRIMARY.

E. J. Britt Nominated for Mayor in Close Contest—Others.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lumberton, N. C., May 1.—The results of the municipal primary here yesterday, which were not known until late last night are: E. J. Britt, citizens' ticket, defeated W. O. Thompson, for mayor. C. M. Fuller, J. D. McMillan, Jr., and W. I. Linkhaw, commissioners for one year. J. H. Wishart, W. W. Floyd and E. B. Freeman, for two years. Fuller, McMillan and Freeman were on the citizens' ticket. Judge T. A. McNeill and Frank Gough, citizens' ticket, were named as two of the three members of the board of audit of finance. R. C. Lawrence and J. B. Pitman, tied for third member. Britts majority was eight, the contest having been hard fought on both sides, and all during the day there was much speculation as to the standing of the respective candidates. It was rather usual, though, that neither side expressed themselves as confident of victory. Most of those who were doubtful voted a folded ballot, and this made it almost impossible to have any idea as to the running of the candidates during the day. The independent movement is something new here and the outcome of the election today had been watched for with much interest.

CORNELIUS HARNETT.

His Life by R. D. W. Connor—Booklet on Sale at Yates.'

Mrs. E. E. Moffitt, of Raleigh, one of the editors of the North Carolina Booklet, published by the Daughters of the Revolution in this State, is in the city attending the sessions of the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames and in connection with the unveiling of the Colonial monument at Fourth and Market streets this afternoon, has placed on sale at Yates' bookstore, on Market street, copies of the January, 1906, number of the booklet, containing the interesting story of the life of Cornelius Harnett written by Mr. R. D. W. Connor, formerly principal of the High School in this city. The article will be found quite interesting in connection with the unveiling and copies may be secured today or orders will be taken and the booklet will be forwarded later. The cost is insignificant.

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THE CAUCUS FAILED

Effort of Newly Elected Members of Board of Aldermen to Get Together.

NO MEETING LAST NIGHT

All Would Not Agree to Enter. Much Interest on the Street in Probable Outcome of Factional Differences—Notes.

The caucus of the newly elected Board of Aldermen, called by at least some of the "majority faction" for 8 o'clock last night in the Mayor's office at the City Hall, fell yesterday as flat as a pancake. The information that the caucus was to be held last night was volunteered to a reporter Tuesday evening with the concurrence of another member of the "majority faction" and it was stated that all the members of the Board would be officially notified to attend yesterday morning. From what could be gathered on the streets yesterday, the efforts to get together, even the "majority faction," failed ignominiously and it seems now likely that there will be no caucus. Some members said that they had not been notified of the caucus and had no knowledge of the call further than what they saw in the paper. When the notices were being sent around yesterday morning and it was seen that not even the "majority members" could be induced to enter the caucus unless all members were present, there was a disposition on the part of some of the Aldermen to deny that there was any purpose of holding a caucus at all But the facts in the case are exactly as given above and the failure of the caucus to materialize is believed to be the result of the failure of the promoters to get their comrades to join them in the meeting. It is well apparent that the members of the newly elected Board are not very confidential with one another for one of them approached yesterday said that the newspapers seem to know more about "what's doing" than some of the members themselves. This is likely true. At any rate the caucus last night did not materialize and future developments are awaited with interest.

Several of the "minority members" approached yesterday said that they could not afford to go into a secret meeting and have themselves silenced in open meeting by any action that might be taken. One of them had been approached to attend the caucus last night and he was invited to bring his colleague with him, but each courteously declined, saying that they might necessarily have to explain their votes on the Board and would like to be privileged to do so when the time came. If they went into a caucus, they said that they would be debarred from this privilege.

It may be safely said that a majority of the Board favors no change at all in the department officials and few, if any, in the employes of the departments. This policy is expected to prevail on the open Board Wednesday at noon.

ANNUAL MEETING TODAY.

Wilmington Chamber of Commerce Ends Most Successful Year.

The annual meeting of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce, following the election of officers for the ensuing year, continuing from 12 to 3 o'clock, will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the rooms of the Chamber, No. 14 Princess street. Messrs. John S. McEachern, John R. Turrentine and Oscar H. Wright will serve as pollholders and the officers to be elected are president, vice president, and five members of the Executive Committee. While there are no aspirants, it is generally conceded that Mr. J. A. Taylor will be re-elected president of the body. He has served with rare efficiency for four terms already, and the business men who compose the Chamber of Commerce feel that it would be a calamity, should he decline to serve for still another. While many differ with Mr. Taylor upon his policies, there is no gainsaying the fact that he is both agressive and progressive, and has business ability and acumen that peculiarly fit him for this highest honor in the gift of the business community. In transportation and traffic matters he has both an influence and grasp of affairs that make him without a peer in the local commercial field.

The meeting should be attended by every business man in the city who is a member of the Chamber. The reports this year will be unusually complete and of interest to those interested in "Greater Wilmington."

Social Friday Evening.

The social Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A., under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, promises to be a most delightful affair and the public is cordially invited. An attractive programme has been arranged, and there will be refreshments. This will possibly be the last social function of the season at the Y. M. C. A., and the ladies are bending every effort to make a success.

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WILL UNVEIL MONUMENT

Interesting Ceremony This Afternoon by Colonial Dames at Fourth and Market Streets—Annual Pilgrimage to St. Philip's.

Altogether interesting and imposing ceremonies will this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock mark the unveiling and formal presentation to the city of the handsome monument, which the North Carolina Society of the Colonial Dames have erected at the intersection of Fourth and Market streets to the memory of Cornelius Harnett and other Revolutionary heroes of the Cape Fear country. Everything is in readiness for the interesting occasion and if the weather is at all favorable for outdoor exercises of the kind, there will be a large number of the citizens of Wilmington and visitors present. As before stated the address on this occasion will be delivered by the scholarly Dr. C. Alphonso Smith, of the chair of English at the University of North Carolina. He will be introduced by Eugene S. Martin, Esq., of the Wilmington bar. The presentation of the monument to the city of Wilmington will be by Mrs. George Wilson Kidder, and its acceptance in behalf of the municipality will be by Mayor Waddell. The presentation of the certificate of transfer will be by Mrs. James Sprunt, president of the North Carolina Society. Kipling's Recessional will be rendered by a special choir engaged for the ceremonies. During the exercises the children of the public schools of the city will sing "Star Spangled Banner." Bishop Strange will act as chaplain for the ceremonies.

The public is cordially invited to attend the exercises without formal invitation, these having been issued only to the official bodies, the press and visitors outside the city, of which quite a number are in the city for the exercises.

Members of the Board of Audit and Finance and Board of Aldermen will assemble at the City Hall today just prior to the beginning of the exercises and will attend in a body. The Wilmington Light Infantry, Wilmington division, Naval Reserves, and Boys' Brigade will also attend the exercises giving a military phase to the otherwise interesting proceedings. Cornlius Harnett Council, Royal Arcanum, named for the distinguished Revolutionary hero, has also been called to assemble at its hall at 4 o'clock this afternoon for the purpose of attending the unveiling in a body.

Members of the Society of Colonial Dames will assemble at the armory near at hand for the purpose of proceeding in a body to the monument at the hour appointed.

Tomorrow afternoon on the steamer Wilmington which leaves at 2:30 P. M. from Market street dock, the Dames will go for their annual pilgrimage to the historic ruins of St. Philip's Church, at Old Brunswick, down the Cape Fear river. The public is also cordially invited to go on this pilgrimage. It will not be an all-day affair as usual but the trip promises to be most delightful. An address will be delivered by Junius Davis, Esq., of the Wilmington bar.

MRS. J. F. RULFS, JR., DEAD.

Good Woman Entered Into Rest Yesterday—Remains to Salisbury.

Many friends will learn with sorrow and will deeply sympathize with the bereaved ones in the death of Mrs. Margaret V. Rulfs, wife of Mr. Jno. F. Rulfs, Jr., one of Wilmington's most prominent young business men, which occurred yesterday morning at 7:05 o'clock at the family home in this city, No. 411 Grace street, after an immediate illness of only a short time. Notwithstanding her condition had been critical for several days before she passed away, the death came as a crushing blow to the young husband, children and anxious ones who waited so anxiously at her bedside.

Mrs. Rulfs was Miss Margaret Rendleman, of Salisbury, N. C., and was in the 32nd year of her age. She was married to Mr. Rulfs in Salisbury on January 18th, 1898, and had lived in this city for several years since that time, greatly endearing herself to all with whom she came in contact by her sweet, gentle disposition and beautiful Christian character. She was a devoted member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church and was actively engaged in the work of the congregation. She is survived by her husband; father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob A. Rendleman, two sisters, one brother and three children, Catherine, Alice Bell and an infant of tender age. Mrs. Rulfs' mother, two sisters and her brother, Mr. Chas. Rendleman, were with her when she died. After brief funeral services by the Rev. W. A. Snyder, from the residence at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the remains were taken on the evening train to Salisbury where the funeral will be concluded and the interment made The pall-bearers from the station to the train yesterday were Messrs. W. C. Peterson, E. Schulken, H. F. Otten, F. A. Bissinger, J. C. Heyer and Dr. J. H. Dreher. The bereaved husband and members of the family in Wilmington accompanied the remains to their final resting place.

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OFFICIAL SHOWING

Statement From Chairman McEachern in Regard to Proposed Recorder's Court.

ITS ECONOMIC FEATURES

Figures Quoted to Show Why a Savings Would Result With Endorsements From Charlotte and Asheville—Convenience of It.

The following statement from Chairman Duncan McEachern, of the Board of County Commissioners, with letter appended, will be read with interest in connection with the movement that is now on foot in the county for the establishment of a Recorder's Court. The statement is as follows:

Dear Sir: I have been asked so many times why the Commissioners proposed such an "objectionable," "undesirable," "tax-increasing" measure as the Recorder's Court, that I deem it my duty to answer, and in doing so, will say, that the Commissioners considered it to the best interest of the county. Also it was favored by the Chamber of Commerce, as far back as December, 1900, and has been recommended by Grand Juries as follows: The November term Superior Court, 1904, composed of E. C. Holt, foreman, Andrew Smith, C. F. Duffy, H. G. Fennell, D. E. Kerr, J. F. Canaday, C. O. Brown, C. D. Yarborough, W. L. Rogers, F. L. Huggins (secretary), Geo. Hudson, John A. Biddle, John H. Rehder, D. P. McLean, Wm. McKinney, L. L. Mason, Oscar Pearsall, A. E. Uzzell, made the following recommendation as to the establishment of a Recorder's Court.

"Judging from the number of trivial cases for our attention, we consider the conditions that govern the trials of these cases a deplorable one, so much time of the Grand Jury and of the Court is required for a rehearing of such cases as might be disposed of by any magistrate's court, if the law gave jurisdiction, therefore we desire to go on record as favoring the establishment of a Recorder's Court, with such jurisdiction to prevent the loss of time and expenses necessary to a rehearing and trial of such cases.'

September term, Superior Court, 1905, composed of L. B. Rogers, foreman, Lonnie F. Saunders, B. B. Jackson, John C. McAllister, R. H. Bowden, E. S. Hughes, J. H. Williams, F. W. Westermann, J. F. Garrell, J. M. Bunting (secretary), A. Shrier, Jas. G. Gurganus, S. L. P. Anderson, L. W. Davis, J. H. Russell, H. W. Howard, J. W. Piver, Geo. H. Heyer, made the following recommendations as to the establishment of a Recorder's Court.

"A Recorder is urged for the County as it would in our opinion, save the taxpayers THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS, as a great number of petty cases have come before us during our sessions that could have been disposed of by such an officer with much less expense to the County."

January term Superior Court, 1906, composed of C. W. Yates, foreman, T. P. Sykes, R. H. Brady, J. H. Hettleman, W. C. Yarborough, J. C. Springer, R. W. Price, Thos. McDonald, Geo. Schnibben, C. W. Yates, Jr., (clerk), J. N. Bennett, J. D. Doscher, Jr., L. M. Bryant, F. J. Dempsey, W. S. Cook, W. S. Clayton, C. V. Motte, W. R. Brown, made the following recommendation as to the establishment of a Recorder's Court:

"We recommend and hope a Recorder's Court will be established in this County, as we believe it would result in a saving of THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS to the county."

January term Superior Court, 1907, composed of L. H. Skinner, foreman, J. W. Scott, Chas. A. Bradshaw, H. C. Ellers, E. Poezolt, Clarence E. Motte, W. R. Appleberry, F. A. Lord, J. H. Gurganus, P. L. Knight, W. R. Bonham, Jas. Lynch, S. H. Futrell, W. S. Bunting, L. L. Newell, D. H. Penton, H. McL. Green, made the following recommendations:

"We earnestly recommend the enactment of a Recorders Court for this county. We believe that it will result in a financial saving and from a humane standpoint it is almost a necessity."

While it is not incumbent on the Commissioners to take action on recommendations of the Chamber of Commerce, still it being composed largely of the business men of our community, its suggestions cannot be without influence, but as to recommendations of the Grand Juries, it is the duty of the Commissioners to consider, investigate and comply with them as far as they deem them to the county's interest.

These reports having been made while said Grand Juries were familiar with the affairs of the Courts and felt the need of relief if it could be had, were entitled to consideration. Jail fees and Court costs have been the subject of much thought by the present Commissioners, but as they had no power to change any item of expense, they were helpless, so far as reducing expenses of same, hence they sought a court that could and would dispose of the petty cases at much less expense and had prepared the Board of Aldermen unanimously concurring, the proposed Recorder's Court bill, but not until it had been tried in Asheville and had been passed upon by the Supreme Court of the State as valid; and, though lawyers may differ in opinion as to the legal-

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FOR NATIONAL CHAIRMAN.

Announcement of the decision of Senator F. M. Simmons to resign the Democratic State chairmanship, is causing a good deal of talk as to his probable successor. It seems to us, however, that most of the discussion is coming from Western North Carolina, and if the East doesn't be careful the aggressive Democracy of the West will carry off the chairmanship. On Tuesday Congressman R. N. Hackett, of Wilkesboro, was in Raleigh, and to a reporter of the News and Observer who made inquiry of him, he said:

"There is very little talk of politics now. The leading men of the section desire that Senator Simmons retain the Democratic party chairmanship at least until the next State Convention. The men I have heard mentioned as being suitable successors to him are Congressman E. Y. Webb, Col. P. M. Pearsall, Lieutenant Governor Winston and Mr. E. L. Travis."

There are some mighty good names among those mentioned. All are experienced in politics, but the woods are full of them, and as Senator Simmons is no doubt determined to give up the chairmanship, we are confident that his mantle will fall on a leader that will be equal to the emergency. North Carolina is by no means short of good chairmanship timber. The North State Democracy can boast of many a loyal son who cannot only bring patriotism but eminent ability to the party leadership in the State.

Speaking of the Star's hint of chairman Simmons for National Chairman, the Charlotte Observer on Sunday says:

"'The Salisbury Evening Post regrets that Senator Simmons is going to resign the Democratic State chairmanship, and says: "There is nowhere in North Carolina, perhaps not in the whole South, quite as able a political manager as Senator Simmons." Humph! Let him get out. He will then be free to accept the national chairmanship and give them a good imitation of a man determined to have the house keeping at the White House done by a Democratic family.'—Wilmington Star.

"The Star is right, and the Post should take consolation accordingly. The fact is, the Democratic party of North Carolina has so thriven under Mr. Simmons' leadership and so thoroughly overcome its foes that it can now spare him to the Democratic party of the country. His success in organizing victory out of apparently hopeless defeat and his continued wise generalship thereafter afford an assurance that he would serve the national party as it has not been served in many years. His possession of the requisite broad vision and intellectual grasp is beyond question. If so eminently constructive a mind could find no means of knitting together the widely sundered and mutually antagonistic fragments of a thrice routed and thoroughly disorganized party, it would, doubtless, be only because the task proved humanly impossible. We do not know that Senator Simmons is desirous of undertaking such herculean labors, but if the national Democracy should signify a desire for him as chairman, and if he should be willing to accept, the State Democracy could do naught but bid him Godspeed with pride and confidence."

We have no idea of how Senator Simmons would regard the suggestion of his name for National Chairman, but all North Carolinians who know him are prepared to believe that he would make the best one we have had in many a campaign. We would like to see him made National chairman.

COTTON SEED FAMINE.

The disastrous cold weather in April has left many a farmer in a sorry plight—not only in Georgia but in other States of the Cotton Belt. They have not only had their cotton killed and all their work gone to naught, but the cry goes up that there is a seed famine for replanting. The Savannah Morning News thus calls attention to the serious plight of Georgia farmers:

"Cotton farmers have undoubtedly learned a lesson from the recent cold weather. It is that they should not dispose of all their cotton seed except just enough for one planting. At the present time, from nearly all parts of this state, and other states in the cotton belt, there is a call for cotton seed. Those who have seed for sale are able to command very high prices for it, and those who are in need of seed are confronted with the prospect of not being able to get enough to supply their need.

"What every cotton farmer should do is to have enough seed for at least three plantings. He may need enough for only one planting, but if he saves enough for three he will be pretty certain to have all he may want, and after the time for planting is past he can sell his surplus for about as much as he would have obtained if he had sold early in the season.

"The cotton seed mills are being called upon to aid the farmers. They say, however, they are able to render but little assistance. They should stint themselves to assist the farmers. They can afford to do that, because unless the farmers have enough for replanting there will be a short cotton crop, and hence a shortage of seed, which would mean a high price for seed. This is a time when the cotton seed mills should extend to the farmers, if possible, a helping hand. Simply because they have small stocks they shouldn't refuse assistance. They would be standing in their own light to do so. If we are to have a fair sized cotton crop the farmers must have seed for replanting."

The recent cold weather has also caught the cotton seed oil mills. The price of seed has gone up with the price of cotton, and as for that matter, the price of oil has also advanced. The mills themselves are probably short of seed to meet their contracts for oil, the demand for which has probably never been greater even at the good prices quoted. Some of the grades of oil are quoted as high as 52 to 53 cents per gallon. However, the oil mill people will be compelled to let the farmers have seed, for if the planters can't get enough to replant the mills will have difficulty in getting all the seed they may need for crushing next Fall.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—They may get a scrap up between Adams and Butler and we will believe it when they are at it.—Greensboro Tar Heel (Rep.)

—Some Republican officials in North Carolina who are expected to line up for Roosevelt may turn from him like they turned from Hanna once before.—Greensboro Tar Heel (Rep.).

—Congressman Webb has been suggested as his successor, but we don't think Mr. Webb or any other officeholder has any business with the State chairmanship.—Statesville Landmark.

—The Wilkesbarre man who stole eight sixty-foot steel rails must be thinking of going into the railroad business by degrees, so as not to startle the rest of the magnates.—Washington Post.

—If it is true that the President already has on hand material for a dozen new books, we hope his contemplated work on "Liars I Have Met" will not have to be crowded into a single volume.—Washington Post.

With such men as John Temple Graves, Marion Butler, and Mayor McNinch, of Charlotte, advocating a third term for President Roosevelt, an old-time Republican, is apt to become somewhat suspicious.—Mt. Airy, N. C., Leader (Rep.).

—In adjoining columns a New York paper tells of the marriage of a Pittsburg millionaire widow to a skating master, and the self-imposed starvation of a millionaire spinster, in another city. The ways of a woman are certainly past finding out.—Savannah News.

—Complaints from fishermen who have hitherto found shad fishing in the Delaware a profitable business are to the effect that for the season just closed the catch was way below that for former years. As an explanation they say that the shad are emigrating southward, where the usual good catches were made. It is possible that the Savannah river may become as famous as the Delaware has been in times past, as a source of the far-famed shad.

—It would be idle to pretend that the President in the discussion of the present aspects of public questions in this country which he appended to his vivid and eloquent description of the early development of the American nation, at Jamestown on Friday, did not seek to undo some of the effects of the sensational campaign he has been carrying on against some of the great business interests of the country during the past five years. Many significant sentences in his address show how anxious he is to modify the impression that he is making war on the men who are denouncing him for his appeals to class feeling and prejudice such as his advocacy of a forced revaluation of industrial properties, and his declaration at Minneapolis that the time had arrived for a change from the old attitude of the State and Nation toward property.—Hartford Times (Dem.).

TWINKLINGS.

—"Do you think smoking conduces to tranquility of mind?" "Not judging by the population of Cuba."—Washington Star.

—"Lushley thinks that automobiles are a snare and a delusion." "Does he labor under one of those delusions."—Life.

—Judge—Have you formed any previous opinion of the case? Henpekt—No, Your Honor, but Maria has.—Harper's Bazaar.

—She—No, I can never be yours. He—In that case, farewell forever. She (hastily)—Now, don't go off mad, George. You can be mine.—Someville Journal.

—Teacher—Have you any position in view for me? Agent—I know one man who wants a tutor for his empty-headed son. Teacher—Well, I think I could fill the vacancy.—Harper's Weekly.

—Baker—Do You think it is true that two can live as cheaply as one? Barker—Not much. Since I've been paying alimony to Mrs. Barker it has cost me double what it did when she was my better half.—Life.

—"No," declared Mr. Nagget, "there never was a woman on earth who could refrain from turning around to rubber at some other woman's clothes." "No?" remarked his wife sweetly, "didn't you ever hear of Eve?"—Philadelphia Press.

—Sergeant Major—Now,then, young feller, what blithering idiot told you to spread all this litter in front of the officers' quarters, eh? Stolid Private—The colonel. Sergeant Major—An' who might you be, may I ask, to call the colonel a blithering idiot?—Cassell's Journal.

—Minister's Wife (to her husband)—Will you help me to put the drawing room carpet down today, dear? The room is beautifully clean. Minister (vexatiously)—Ah, well, I suppose I will have to. Wife—And don't forget, John, dear, while you are doing it that you are a minister of the Gospel.—Tit-Bits.

—Hope Mills, April 30: Mr. Harry O. Davidson, who has for six years been connected with the Hope Mills Manufacturing Co., in the capacity of designer and general superintendent of weaving, has tendered his resignation, and will leave in about a month for Anniston, Alabama, where he has accepted a position as superintendent of the Woodstock Mills of that city. Mr. Davidson is a native of Pennsylvania, having come here from Chester. He has been a useful citizen and a capable and efficient official, and our people give him up reluctantly. He has identified himself with every movement which was for the ebtterment of the town, having been one of the main promoters of the present graded school facilities. Several years ago he was offered the directorship of the Textile Department of th A. and M. College, Raleigh, N. C., but declined to accept.

Preparing for Big Spring Sale.

J. H. Rehder & Co.'s large force of people are busy this week preparing for a big special sale which will begin Monday, May the 6th, at 10 o'clock and there will be big bargains in every department, and we advise everybody to visit the big store during the week. Everything just as advertised. **

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6c and 7c light Calicoes, best make, 5c yard.	Children's Sailors, all colors, 50c kind. Special, 38c each.
MATTING.	BED SPREADS.
20c Mattings, 15c.	$1.00 full size Spread, 69c.
25c Mattings ,19c.	$1.25 full size Spread, 98c.
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MISS LOVING DEFENDS ESTES

Young Virginia Woman Exonerates Man Her Father Killed—Declares Young Estes Always Treated Her With Courtesy.

Charlottesville, Va., May 1.—Miss Elizabeth Loving, whose ride with Theodore Estes, at Lovington, two weeks ago, resulted in her father, Judge Loving, shooting Estes, at Oak Ridge, in a letter a few days ago to a girl friend in this county, fully exonerates Estes, it is said, and expresses amazement at her father's act. Miss Loving, it is said, defends the memory of the victim to the extent of testifying that he had always treated her with courtesy and consideration.

Since the tragedy Judge Loving and his family have lived in seclusion, and no statement from them or about them has reached the outside world until this letter, which discloses the extreme unhappiness of the entire family circle. It is alleged that Miss Loving used the word "crazed" as descriptive of their mental and nervous condition.

It is an open secret in the social life of Nelson county that Judge Loving had always been opposed to social amenities between his family and that of Sheriff Estes, and that the mere fact of his daughter's having gone for a drive with Theodore Estes was sufficient to excite him greatly. Judge Loving is not noted for an even temper, and it is said that his daughter was the only one who had the courage to oppose his will.

A Nelson county man, familiar with all the social and political currents there, this morning expressed the belief that it would be impossible to try the case at Lovington. Feeling is running high in that county, and is emphasized by clannish and political antipathies. The case is quite likely to be removed to Charlottesville.

GOVERNORS OF CAROLINAS

Remarks They Made When They Met at Jamestown.

(Special to The New York Times.)

New Haven, Conn., April 29.—Gov. Rollin Woodruff of Connecticut returned here from Jamestown today, declaring that it is now a longer time than ever between drinks for the Governor of North Carolina and the Governor of South Carolina. Governor Woodruff stood talking with Governor Heywood of South Carolina, Saturday at the exposition, when Governor Glenn of North Carolina came along. Learning that they had never met, Governor Woodruff said:

"Governor Heyward of South Carolina, let me introduce Governor Glenn of North Carolina." Then he added, facetiously, "and I expect the usual salutation when the Governor of North Carolina meets the Governor of South Carolina."

Governor Heyward moved restlessly, and responded:

"I beg your pardon, gentlemen, but I'm a teetotaler."

"Governor Glenn came to his rescue by saying:

"Don't apologize, Governor, for in that event, for we're both Prohibitionists. I too, am opposed to drinking."

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A Narrow Escape.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at R. R. Bellamy, Druggist.

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INFORMATION AS TO TICKETS.

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Thursday, May 2, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, May 2, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., Wednesday, May 1:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 69 degrees; at 8 P. M., 70 degrees; maximum, 80 degrees; minimum, 64 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .01; rainfall for the month, .01 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Wednesday, 6.8 feet.

Forecast

Forth North Carolina—Partly cloudy and cooler Thursday; showers in east portion; Friday, fair and warmer, light to fresh northeast winds.

Port Almanac—May 2.

Sun Rises.....5:07 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:48 P. M.
Day's Length .. .. ..13 hrs. 33 min.
High water at Southport 10:55 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 1:25 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. G. B. D. Parker, of Chinquepin, Duplin county, was a Star visitor yesterday.

—Mrs. E. B. Wright, of Boardman, was among the guests at The Orton yesterday.

—Miss Nellie High, of Whiteville, who has been the guest of friends and relatives in the city, has returned to her home.

—Mr. A. C. Worth, of Creskill, N. J., is in the city, the guest of his father, Mr. B. G. Worth, on South Second street.

—Mrs. E. E. Moffitt, of Raleigh, and Mrs. R. C. McNeil, of Linden, N. C., are guests of their uncle, Mr. B. G. Worth, No. 206 North Second street.

—Miss Cannie Chasten left yesterday morning for Raleigh, where as a guest of Miss Elizabeth D. Burtt, of the faculty of music at the Baptist Female University, she will attend the great May Music Festival to be given by the Raleigh Choral Society in the Capital City this week.

—Mr. T. B. Gaskins, of Greensboro, State Manager for The Standard Gillett Light Company, of Chicago, is at The Orton and is appointing selling agents in this city for the famous hydro-carbon lighting, which is highly endorsed. Mr. Gaskins has an advertisement elsewhere in today's paper giving excellent opportunity for salesmen to form a connection with his company in this city.

CAPT. J. M. WALKER STRICKEN.

Popular Wilmington Citizen Had Stroke of Apoplexy—His Condition.

With universal regret will be received the news here and elsewhere that Capt. Jno. M. Walker, of this city, has suffered a stroke of apoplexy. Capt. Walker was stricken yesterday morning just before breakfast at his home on South Second street and all during the day his condition was very serious. Though conscious for most of the time, the condition of Capt. Walker is such as to give grave concern to his family and friends. A physician was summoned soon after the attack and last night it was stated that the case was responding very well to the treatment and there was some encouragement in the symptoms of the patient.

Hundreds of friends of Capt. Walker are anxiously waiting to hear from his bedside and are trusting that he will survive the attack and be restored at least partially to his former good health.

Trips Down the River.

There is nothing more delightful these delightful Spring days than a trip down the river on the steamer Wilmington. Capt. Jno. W. Harper this season is operating a special schedule on Saturdays and Sundays for the benefit of all who desire the rest and recreation so welcome at this season of the year. The Wilmington leaves the city on Saturdays at 4:30 A. M. and 2 P. M. and on Sundays at 9:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. The fare for the Sunday trip is only 25 cents, and stops are made at Carolina Beach both going to and returning from Southport A number of improvements are being made at the beach and the resort promises to be more popular than ever this season. The Hanover Seaside Club is having its handsome club house moved back 200 feet and it is being improved while a great many other improvements are in progress.

To Asheville for His Health.

Friends of Mr. W. F. Alexander, Jr., in this city, will regret to know that on account of his health he has been forced to give up his position, temporarily at least, as secretary to Commissioner Fitzgerald, of the Associated Railways of Virginia and the Carolinas, with headquarters at Richmond, and that he has gone to Asheville under the advice of his physician to spend several months. His physician in Asheville advises him that it will require some time, but that he is confident that a permanent cure can be finally effected. Mr. Alexander recently spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Alexander, of this city, before going to Asheville.

Never Out! Never Over!!

The "Unwritten Law," a drama based on the Thaw-White tragedy, presenting photographic scenes of the killing on Madison Square Roof Garden and the sensational incidents leading up to the famous trial just concluded in New York is the film produced at great expense for the balance of the week at the Bijou, North Front street. **

Festival Tonight.

At Wrightsville. Special schedule on suburban line. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—Mr. A. N. Dubois, chemist, has a notice of interest in the Business Locals column of the Star today.

—Justice Bornemann yesterday married a colored couple from the country, John Jenkins and Emma Eliza Pedlum.

—Cotton went to 11 cents for middling on the local market yesterday. Receipts were 167 bales against 221 bales same day last year.

—An adjourned meeting of the Atlantic Yacht Club will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the Mayor's office at the City Hall. A full attendance of members is desired.

—The lecture of Rev. William P. McKenzie on Christian Science will take place Monday evening at 8:15 o'clock in the Court House. Admission will be free and all are invited.

—There was but one case in the police court yesterday. Viola Jones, colored, charged with disorderly conduct and arrested yesterday morning in Hutaff's alley by Officer Frank George, was given 30 days on the roads.

—The North Carolina Sorosis will hold its regular monthly business meeting this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Prompt attendance is requested in order that members may attend the unveiling ceremonies of the Cornelius Harnett monument.

—The police made 148 arrests during the month of April. Seventy-seven of the defendants were white and 71 were colored. The large proportion of whites was on account of the large number of warrants served on delinquent license taxpayers during the month.

—Friends in this city of Lieutenant and Mrs. B. M. Chiswell will be interested to know that Mr. Chiswell has been transferred to the United States Life Saving Service at Washington, D. C. Mr. Chiswell is now in command of the U. S. Revenue Cutter Boutwell at Newbern.

—At the meeting Friday evening of Local No. 558, United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, a debate will take place on the subject, "Which is the Greater Evil, Child Labor or Foreign Immigration?" Refreshments will be served during the evening.

—The Peruchi-Gypzene Company, which is playing an engagement during the Spring season at the Academy of Music, will change the bill tonight to "A Prince in Rags." There will be a change of specialties nightly and the productions will be found well worthy of the support of Wilmington theatre patrons.

—The revival services at Brooklyn Baptist Church are continuing each night this week with great interest. The pastor, Rev. J. A. McKaughan, is being assisted by Rev. C. M. Rock, of Magnolia, who is preaching his great power. The regular service at 8 o'clock each evening is preceded by a song service at 7:45 P. M. The public is cordially invited.

—Mr. R. E. Blake, the junior member of the nrm, has purchased the interest of the late R. H. Beery in the general hardware and stove business of R. H. Beery & Blake, on Market street, and will hereafter conduct the business under his own name. Mr. Blake is a young business man of fine qualities and his advancement to full proprietorship of the store will be a source of gratification to his friends.

—It is stated that the County Commissioners at their meeting Monday afternoon will consider the advisability of appointing a court stenographer. This was strongly recommended by Judge Long at the last term of Superior Court here, but whether the Commissioners will have the power to expend public moneys for this purpose without an act of the Legislature, as was the case in Wake and Cumberland, seems to be open question.

—By deeds filed for record yesterday Thos. H. Wright transferred to Alex D. Garrison and wife, for $100 and other considerations, property on west side of Twelfth, 99 feet south of Orange street, 33x150 feet in size, and J. D. Brown and wife transferred to D. F. Aman, of Onslow county, for $500 and other considerations, property at northwest corner of Seventh and Dawson streets, 66x66 feet in size.

FIRE ALARM FROM SCHOOL.

Some Excitement in Hemenway Yesterday Morning—Children.

Smoke issuing from the basement of Hemenway School building, where some 900 or more grammar school pupils were housed, caused some excitement yesterday morning about 11.45 o'clock. An alarm was sent in to the Fire Department, but it was discovered in a few minutes that it was only the burning of some paper in the furnace room that gave rise to the smoke. The 900 children in the building, under the excellent control of their teachers, behaved themselves like little heroes, and there was anything but a panic when the apparatus came rushing up. They sat quietly, ready for the fire drill out of the building in case of an emergency, and so quiet was everything that many of the pupils did not know even that there was a fire.

ESCAPED CONVICT.

Negro With Several Aliases May Be Wanted Twice.

Constable W. B. Savage and Policeman Frank George late Tuesday night in a negro restaurant at foot of Princess street captured a negro with several aliases, who came down on the steamer Johnson the same day, and is believed to be wanted at Fayetteville as an escaped convict and at Council's, N. C., where he shot Constable Nicholson several weeks ago. The negro confesses that he is wanted at Fayetteville, and he may be carried there today by Constable Savage. If he is the negro wanted at Council's there is a reward of $150 for his capture, and if he is wanted at Fayetteville there is a reward of $10 and expenses.

Festival Tonight.

At Wrightsville. Special schedule on suburban line. **

OFFICIAL SHOWING

(Continued from first page.)

Supreme Court is usually accepted as final.

The proposed court has the largest jurisdiction of any court in the State subordinate to the Superior Court, that has been passed upon by the Supreme Court, and is the reason it was adopted for our county. Charlotte has a police court with limited powers, but it gives satisfaction (See letter of Chairman Long below). The following is an extract from the published opinion of Recorder Shannonhouse:

"With the jurisdiction your court has, if the officer filling the position of Recorder desires to, it certainly ought to curtail expenses of your Superior Court in trying misdemeanors, save all jail fees and save great loss of time on the part of parties and witnesses attending Superior Court.

"I feel sure that such a Court would save this county at least $5.000 per year."

Asheville has a court with equal jurisdiction, and it has proven a great saving to the county (See letter of R. J. Stokeley, County Auditor), thus confirming the opinion expressed by our Grand Juries, especially the Grand Jury of which Mr. L. B. Rogers was foreman.

The objection that appeals would be taken from the Recorder's Court to the Superior Court is not borne out by the records. Any defendant can appeal from a magistrate's court to the Superior Court, but not one per cent of the cases over which the Magistrates have jurisdiction is carried to the higher courts; so, likewise, as the defendant can appeal from the Recorder's Court, also can they appeal from the Superior Court, but much less than 1 per cent. of cases over which the Recorder would have jurisdiction is ever appealed from the Superior Court. So upon what grounds are the appeal objections based?

As to the cost, the tax increasing qualities of the proposed court are not apparent, as the act provides for the expenditure of $2,700 and no more, which would be reduced by the fees of the Recorder and Clerk collected for cases tried. These cannot be estity of the act, still the decision of the mated and the only information is from Charlotte, where, it is stated, the receipts from fines and forfeitures are six or seven times as much as formerly, but the saving in jail fees and Superior Court costs would more than offset the entire cost of the court and is based upon the amounts actually paid out for Superior Court and jail fees since Jan. 1, 1906, during which time six terms of criminal and five terms of civil court have been held. In the criminal court 708 cases have been tried, of which 451 could have been disposed of by a Recorder, or a little over 63 per cent. During same period there has been paid out for

Superior Court	$7,892.57
Jail fees	2,955.30
Total	$10,847.87
Less Civil Court Jurors...	1,667.20
Cost of Criminal Court and jail fees	$9,180.67

Sixty-three per cent of $9,180.67 is equal to $5,783.82, which is more than twice the total cost of the Recorder's Court, or to be more accurate, a saving of the difference between $5,783.82 and $2,700 (Recorder's and Clerk's salary), which is $3,083,82, if all cases cost the same, but as the cost of trial varies we believe we are conservative in saying that fully 50 per cent. of the present court costs and jail fees could be saved, which would show a saving of $1,890.33 over and above cost and maintenance of the Recorder's Court.

In addition to the above saving by the establishment of this court we believe that there would be paid in for Recorder and Clerk's fees at last $1,500, which would be paid equally to the city and county.

Another benefit of the Recorder's Court would be the relief to the business man, mechanic, and laboring man of leaving his duties to attend court as witness or juror day after day, not knowing when they may be called, and thus often detaining them all the week to enable them to serve five minutes or more.

DUNCAN MC EACHERN,
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 23, 1907.

Mr. D. McEachern, Chairman, Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Sir: Yours of January 18 to hand. In reply will say that our Recorder's Court is entirely the city business, the county has nothing to do with it. Will say that heretofore the city paid the Mayor a salary of $1,500 per year, but there was so much criminal business along with other city affairs, that one man could not handle all satisfactorily, so established Recorder's Court. Pay the Recorder $1,000 per year. He is not elected by the people, but by the Board of Aldermen. He, therefore, does not belong to any local faction, and his office is non political (as it should be). Will say further that in order to make it a success you ought to have a good man with legal knowledge of the law. Our city will have to pay $1,500 or more soon, or they will not be able to get the man they need. A lawyer cannot hold the position and practice law. The Mayor, I think, is now paid $900 a year.

There is paid over now in fines and forfeitures six or seven to one paid before the Recorder's Court was established. Our people as a whole are well satisfied, both in the city and county, with our Recorder's Court. Of course there is some little opposition to our Recorder personally, but not to his court. We expect that if a man does his duty. I have tried to give you the information the best I know, and hope you will be able to establish the Recorder's Court in your City. If you wish you can write to Mr. F. M. Shannonhouse, our Recorder, and get his views. He will gladly give you any information.

Yours truly,
W. M. LONG,
Chairman County Commissioners of Mecklenburg County.

Mr. D. McEachern, Chairman County Commissioners, Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Sir: Your letter to the Commissioners of Buncombe county has been turned over to me to answer. In reply to your inquiries, will say, that we have a police court here, which I presume is similar to the Recorder's Court which you are trying to have established in your city. Our court has been in existance nearly two years. Our court expenses have been materially reduced on account of same. This Court sits every day, and having jurisdiction in all misdemeanor cases and petty larceny, the defendant is tried immediately, and if found guilty is fined or sent to the roads, relieving the county from paying jail fees from time of arrest to the regular time of Superior Court, and also for jury trials, etc. So from a financial standpoint, we consider this court a great saving to the county.

Yours truly,
R. J. STOKELY,
County Auditor.

THE JUNIORS ENTERTAINED.

Senior Class of Wilmington High School Their Guests Last Night.

The Junior Class of the Wilmington High School last night most delightfully entertained the Seniors at the High School building, Fourth and Ann streets. There were also present as guests of honor Superintendent Blair, Miss M. E. Cook, principal of Union School; Mr. Huff, principal, and members of the High School faculty. The decorations were very pretty and effective, the Junior Class colors of yellow and white prevailing. Refreshments were daintily served during the evening and members of the Senior Class to whom will fall the delightful pleasure of entertaining the Juniors at Commencement, voted their hosts and hostesses most agreeable entertainers.

Rural Free Delivery Growing.

Mr. R. F. Gore, carrier on R. F. D. route No. 1, from the Wilmington postoffice, otherwise known as the "Banner Route," states that the route broke its own record for the month of April, 8,244 pieces of mail having been handled. The rural free delivery is proving itself of inestimable value to the country resident and its growth from month to month is the surest indication that the service has come to stay.

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DIED.

HAUGHTON—At Spartanburg, S. C. on April 30th, William G. Haughton. Funeral services held at Spartanburg, S. C., yesterday. Committal services will be held at Oakdale Cemetery this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

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White Panama and Milan Straw Sailors, at $2.50.
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Large Roses, pastel shades, with very fine foliage, at $1.75.
Small Roses, all shades, at 69c.

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MANY SHOT AND SABRED.

May Day Witnessed Great Disorder in Paris.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Paris, May 1.—The expectation that May day would pass off without violence was not realized. The day began in calm but toward evening the working centre in the vicinity of the trades unions' headquarters was the scene of serious disturbances in which many persons were more or les injured. The stringent precautions taken by the authorities and the stern determination to repress disorders, however, brought tranquility before midnight.

The sum total of today's operations was over 1,000 arrests, twenty persons, including policemen and citizens, badly injured and a great number of persons suffering from contusions or from being trampled.

One of the gravest incidents recorded was during the afternoon when Jacob Law, a Russian, who is a naturalized American, from the top of an omnibus passing the place de LaRepublique cold-bloodedly fired five shots by which two cuirassiers were wounded.

The crowd attempted to lynch Law, who was dragged down from the omnibus. He was rescued by the police after he had been severely mauled and was taken to a police station to await trial.

Several incidents occurred during which firearms were used. After a meeting at the Labor Exchange 5,000 men proceeded to the headquarters of the Labor Federation, hooting the police meanwhile. Charges were made by the police and a woman fired, the bullet striking a member of the bicycle patrol. The squad of police drew their sabres and revolvers and a lively melee followed, lasting half an hour. The police pressed the crowd from the Quai Jemmapes to the banks of St. Martin's canal during which 200 arrests were made and many persons were hurt.

Later in the evening, in the place de LaRepublique, the police while arresting rioters, were surrounded by a threatening crowd, which attempted to rescue those taken into custody. Sabres were used freely, but finding their position perilous, the police fired in the air. A further detachment came on the scene at double-quick and with drawn sabres charged and dispersed the crowd. Many persons were injured and many placed under arrest.

Dispatches received at the Ministry of the Interior report calm everywhere in the provinces, the May day demonstrations being confined to meetings and processions and singing revolutionary songs.

RACE RIOT IN INDIANA.

Negroes Beaten and Ordered to Leave Town.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Greensburg, Ind., May 1.—The bitter feeling against negroes as a result of an assault on Mrs. Sefton, an aged white woman, last Saturday night, caused a race riot here last night. Six negroes were badly beaten, one of whom may die. The mob was formed by three white men, and rapidly increased to 500. All saloons and other places frequented by negroes were visited and the furniture and fixtures demolished. Negroes found in the places were beaten and warned to leave town. The authorities finally induced the crowd to disperse, after promising that all negroes of bad character will be compelled to leave. Many negroes have already departed and others will be notified by the police to leave. No arrests were made.

TOBACCO FARMERS MEET.

Eight Hundred From Carolina and Virginia at Danville.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Danville, Va., May 1.—With an attendance of fully 800 farmers from the tobacco growing districts of the two tates, the Farmers' Protective Association of Virginia and North Carolina convened here today. It was decided to continue the operation of the warehouse, which was started a year ago under the auspices of the association, where they could place their tobacco to be held until a price deemed just by a special committee is offered for the product and the sale made privately. This is one of the means of fighting the tobacco trust and of doing away with the public auction sales.

It was decided to raise a fund of $30,000 by popular subscription in order to advance money to farmers on their growing crops.

SPORTS AT EXPOSITION.

Storm Interfered With Yesterday's Boat Races.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., May 1.—The boat races planned for today between crews representing various vessels of the foreign and American navies, here in connection with the Jamestown Exposition, was postponed on account of storm that prevailed over this section. This will result in a double programme for tomorrow.

The principal race scheduled boats for a cup offered by Army and Navy interests.

A British-American boxing contests will be held Saturday. There will be six bouts, covering all weights.

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May Day Festival Tonight.

The May Day Festival to be given this evening on the lawn of the Atlantic View Hotel, on Wrightsville Sound, for the benefit of the Wrightsville M. E. Church, promises to be a delightful affair in every respect and if the weather conditions are at all favorable an unusually large crowd from Wilmington will attend. There will be an interesting programme of music and readings and refreshments will be served. On account of the festival the Consolidated Company will operate a special schedule on the suburban line, a car leaving Front and Princess streets every half hour from 6:30 to 10.30 P. M., and leaving Wrightsville on the return every half hour from 7 to 11 P. M.

Tested for Tuberculosis.

An important action of the Board of Health at its regular monthly meeting yesterday afternoon at the Mayor's office was the passage of an order requiring all dairy cattle in the city of Wilmington to be tested for tuberculosis, beginning on the first of June. This will be done by the milk inspector, Dr. T. B. Carroll, who was recently authorized to purchase such apparatus as was needed for the tubercular tests. All importers or owners of herds outside the city will have to furnish the Board with a certificate that their cattle have been tested for tuberculosis.

Town of Fairmont.

The Star has with the compliments of Dr. John P. Brown, of Fairmont, an attractive souvenir post card showing a row of handsome two-story brick stores on the main street of his progressive town. The card was marred in only one respect. The post-office stamp gave the postmark "Ashpole." But that is in the past. We have buried the hatchet with Dr. Brown and here's to Fairmont. "May she live long and continpe to prosper!"

HAD FINANCE BRAIN STORM.

Bank Defaulter Imagined He Could Corner Cotton.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Brmingham, Ala., May 1.—The second trial of Alex R. Chisolm, former paying teller of the First National Bank of Birmingham, charged with having embezled $100,000 of the bank's funds, which it is alleged he lost in cotton speculation, began in the Federal court today. A jury was soon selected, Chisolm entered a plea of not guilty, his attorney, Captain White, explaining that the plan of the defense was insanity. The defendant pleading not guilty, Captain White said, did not deny that he took the money, but that he took it while laboring under a delusion that he could corner the cotton amrket of the world.

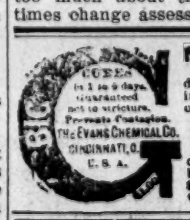
He stated to the jury how under these delusions of grandeur the defendant had proceeded to speculate with the bank's funds, always pursued by the hallucination that he had been favored with some supernatural power to manipulate the markets of the world. Attorney Bradley in outlining the government's case, said that Chisholm had proceeded in his speculations with intelligence and cunning, covering up his tracks successfully for many months. The first witness called was W. P. O. Harding, president of the First National Bank of Birmingham, who told of the discovery of Chisholm's shortage.

TALKED WITH MR. ROOSEVELT.

Railroad President Was at White House but Keeps Mum.

Washington, May 1.—President Charles S. Mellen, of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and T. E. Byrnes, the first vice-president of the road, talked with President Roosevelt for some time today. Not a word was obtainable from them as to why they called or what they talked about with the President and they said there would be nothing to make public about the visit. Mr. Mellen said he had no objection to anything the President might make public about the interview.

Mr. Mellen was pressed for information as to his opinion on valuation of railroads but declared that he was not in favor of anything particular. He added that he had charge of a little piece of railroad property and would like to run it in peace and quiet. He admitted that the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad was prosperous but he said with a smile that he would not like to say too much about that. "They sometimes change assessments, you know."



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Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of the Court, all creditors of Neutralgine Chemical Company are required and hereby notified to present their claims duly proven, as required by law, to the undersigned receiver of said Neutralgine Chemical Company on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1907, or this notice will be plead if necessary in bar of recovery.

This 20th day of April, A. D. 1907.
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CLERK

RECORDER'S COURT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Recorder's Court to be voted upon by the people of the county on May 7th, promising if elected to fill the duties of the position faithfully and well.
LAWRENCE J. G. MOREL.
apr 10-tf

For Clerk Recorder's Court.

Subject to the will of the people to be expressed at the polls May 7th.
WM. SLOAN HUGGINS.

Proposals Invited.

Bids will be received at the office of the Chief of Police until noon, May 12th, for furnishing uniforms for the police force of the City of Wilmington, N. C. The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
J. A. KARR,
Chairman of the Police Committee.
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Notice of Election and Registration

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina, passed at its 1907 session, entitled "AN ACT TO ESTABLISH IN THE CITY OF WILMINGTON A SPECIAL COURT TO BE CALLED THE RECORDER'S COURT and prescribing the jurisdiction thereof," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of New Hanover County on the 7th. day of May, 1907, to determine whether the said Recorder's Court shall be established, and to elect a Recorder and a Clerk of said Court. At said election all qualified voters of the County of New Hanover who favor the establishment of said Court shall vote a ballot with "For Recorder's Court" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed to the establishment of said Court shall vote a ballot with "Against Recorder's Court" written or printed thereon.

For the purpozes of the election, as authorized by said Act, a new registration for said election is ordered by the said Board of Commissioners, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards, precincts and townships, and the persons hereinafter named are apponted as REGISTRARS AND JUDGES OF ELECTION in the said wards, precincts and townships, of the County of New Hanover, to-wit:

CAPE FEAR TOWNSHIP.
POLLING PLACE—Blossom's Store.
Registrar—J. A. Smith.
Judges of Election—W. H. Shearin and J. W. Winders.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP, DELGADO PRECINCT.
POLLING PLACE—Degado Store.
Registrar—J. O. Grimes.
Judges of Election—Bishop Weaver and H. C. Crouch.

HARNETT TOWNSHIP, 7-MILE POST PRECINCT.
POLLING PLACE — Township House.
Registrar—James Shepard.
Judges of Election—J. R. Canady and L. R. Mason.

MASONBORO TOWNSHIP.
POLLING PLACE—Township House
Registrar—J. H. Hollis.
Judges of Election—B. S. Montford and E. A. Orrell.

FEDERAL POINT TOWNSHIP.
POLLING PLACE—Capps' Store.
Registrar Henry Taylor.
Judges of Election—Theodore Biddle and Hank Williams.

WILMINGTON TOWNSHIP.
First Ward—First Division.
POLLING PLACE—Southwest Intersection 4th and Brunswick streets.
Registrar—Z. H. Barnes.
Judges of Election—J. D. Mote and John Milliken.
First Ward—2nd Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Hall at Sixth and Brunswick streets.
Registrar—Henry G. Harris.
Judges of Election—M. Rathjeu and F. W. Kuhl.
First Ward—3rd Precinct.
POLLING PLACE — Hose Reel House Fourth Street Bridge.
Registrar—J. W. Blomme.
Judges of Election—John Barnes and Foster M. Pridgen.
Second Ward.
POLLING PLACE — Old Court House.
Registrar—Frank S. Shepard.
Judges of Election—J. B. Hand and Herman Meredith.
Third Ward.
POLLING PLACE—Giblem Lodge.
Registrar—J. D. Bowen.
Judges of Election—J. F. King and D. D. Lennon.
Fourth ward.
POLLING PLACE—Schloss Stables.
Registrar—N. Schloss.
Judges of Election—George Davis and S. Siegler.
Fifth Ward—First Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Fifth Ward Hook and Ladder Hall.
Registrar—J. D. H. Klander.
Judges of Election—J. F. Littleton and L. A. Hewlett.
Fifth Ward—Second Precinct.
POLLING PLACE—Engine House at Sixth and Castle streets.
Registrar—Jno. Irvin.
Judges of Election—W. F. Brittain and J. O. Brown.

The Registration Books of each ward, precinct and township, shall be kept open between the hours of 9 o'clock in the morning and sunset on each day, Sundays excepted, for 29 days beginning April 4th, 1907, for the registration of electors; that the said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the Second Saturday before said election, to-wit; the 27th day of April, 1907; that on Saturday the 6th day of April, 1907 and on the 13th, 20 and 27th days of April, the Saturdays thereafter, registrars shal attend with their books at the polling places in their respective wards, precincts and townships for the registration of voters.

The Registrars shall attend the polling places of their respective wards, precincts and townships with the registration books on Saturday preceeding the election to-wit; the 4th day of May, 1907 between the hours of 9 A. M. and until 3 P. M. when and where the said books shall be open for the inspection of the electors of said wards, precincts and townships and any of said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person on the books.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Honaver County.
This the 23rd day of March, 1907.
DUNCAN McEACHERN,
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—Dunn, April 30: Hon. G. E. Hood, Mayor of Goldsboro, has accepted the invitation of the Daughters of the Confederacy at this place to deliver the annual tenth of May memorial address at Chicora cemetery.

—Wilson, April 29: Wilson now sports fourteen automobiles and more are coming our way. Mr. Doane Morris has placed an order for a handsome seven-seated machine, the cost of which will be $3,500.

—Dunn, April 30: Since the establishment of a dispensary here, the blind tigers have gone out of business. The dispensary is now on trial and the verdict of the people will be declared two years hence.

—Dunn, April 30: For several months timber and mill men have been buying large quantities of timber and timber lands between here and Clinton. The prospect now is that roads and mills will soon be installed in this splendid section. There has been a competition in the buying and the timber sold for good prices.

—Elm City, April 30: Our town is forging to the front. Stock to the amount of $20,000 has nearly all been subscribed for the purpose of erecting a knitting mill. The promoters are such men as Jas. W. Cox, R. S. Wells, George A. Barnes, John L. Bailey and other men of means. The establishment of a cotton factory is also being agitated. There is no Rip Van Winkleism about Elm City.

—Salisbury, N. C., April 30: Through S. P. Swicegood, administrator for the estate of the late S. J. Swicegood, Dr. L. J. Meroney, proprietor of Meroney's theatre, of this city, is being sued for an interest in the walls of the new theatre building. Other claims are also made as to an interest in adjacent property, including three inches of land along the wall in question.

—Newbern, April 30: Negotiations are in progress for a new pleasure resort here. Persimmon Point, a place on the Neuse river, four miles from Newbrn, has been selected as the site. A club house, dance hall and other buildings will be erected soon, and it is expected the place will be an ideal resort. It has a fine bathing beach and many natural attractions and makes a fine park. The amount to be expended on it is $50,000.

—Wilson, April 30: This afternoon Deputy Collector R. J. Lewis and Deputy Marshal J. H. Rand, arrested Spencer Shaw, near Buckhorn church, on the charge of retailing whiskey. In the road near where Shaw was arrested was a buggy passing, in which two white women were seated. The revenue men suspected that all was not as it should be and began an investigation, which revealed ten gallons of whiskey, which they took to be moonshine.

—Fayetteville, April 30: Two negro convicts escaped Saturday night from the convict camp, which is now situated near Deputy Sheriff Pate's residence on Haymount, and have not yet been recaptured. They are John Jssup, who had only three months of a twelve months' term to serve, and Alex McIntosh, whose term will expire in November. Jessup escaped from the camp several months ago and was recaptured at Jacksonville, Fla., costing the county over $100 to get him back.

—Kinston, April 30: Stephen H. Simmons died at the home of his son, George F, Simmons, Sunday afternoon of apoplexy. He was 83 years old, but though feeble, was frequently seen on the streets until a few days before he died. Lik many of the gallant boys who went through that trying ordeal from '61 to '65. Mr. Simmons passed away suddenly. He was a Confederate veteran and proudly bore the cross of honor placed upon him by the Daughters of the Confederacy for gallant service during the war.

—Asheville, April 30: Asheville's five million gallon water storage reservoir, built by the Faragher Engineering Company, constructed of reinforced steel and concrete, will be completed next week. The great water storage reservoir is located on the side of the mountain east of the city and has been in course of construction for several months: The new reservoir is designed to hold five million gallons of water and is for use to store water for cases of emergency in the event of a break in the gravity line or a serious fire. The reservoir is built at a cost of $50,000.

—Raleigh News and Observer, May 1: The waters of the Cape Fear river have at last given up the body of one of the four men who were drowned a week ago at Buckhorn Falls in Chatham county. It was the body of E. A. Brady, of Moncure, which was found yesterday morning, this being about four hundred feet below the falls over which the men were swept after the currnt of the Cape Fear had caught the scow loaded with lumber, and the launch which was being used to move the scow. The body had been in the water for a week and was very much swollen. The search for the other bodies still continues, the work having been hampered hitherto because the river was high.

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For Clerk

Recorder's Court, subject to the will of the people to be expressed May 7th.

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apr 10 til may 7

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect April 22nd, 1907.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilmington	9 40 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.57 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2 40 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	8 15 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Wilson	2 00 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.05 p m	2.3x a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	3.12 p m	3.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.53 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.15 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.58 a m	3.12 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10.20 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa..		7.10 pm	10.?? am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.30 am	1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8.55 am	Ar 8.13 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.55 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun	South Bound
Ar Wilmi	2 40 p m	12 40 p m
Ar Newbern	5.55 pm	Lv 9.10 am

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Trains 48 and 49 carry Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

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To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE.

In effect October 28th, 1906

Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 7.00 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.15 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m., 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Cars every half hour from 1.00 to 5.00 p m in addition to the above schedule.

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Leave Front and Princess Streets daily, except Sunday, at 3:40, 4:00, 4:30 and 5:30 P. M.

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Freight cars leaves Wilmington daily cept Sunday at 4.00 p m. Freight depot op from 2.00 to 4.00 p m.

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Ar. St. Louis	6.28 P. M.	7.15 A. M
Ar. Louisville	11.20 A. M.	5.00 P.M.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 1.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing .

TAR—Firm, $2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $3.50 per barrel for hard, $4.80 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $3.45; tar, firm, $1.80; crude turpentine, $2.90, $4.75 and $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	18
Rosin	654
Tar	95
Crude Turpentine	5

Receipts same day last year, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels rosin; 50 barrels tar; 28 barrels of rosin; 171 barrels tar; 36 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 11c.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-8.

Receipts, 167 bales; same day last year, 221.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.45; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, $1.20; fancy, $1.25; Spanish, $1.45@$1.50.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N .C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@18c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Firm, 16@17c.

CHICKENS—Firm, 20@35 for small grows 40@50c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 1.—After a very sharp advance, cotton turned very easy in a very active market. The close was steady with old crop months showing unchanged to 5 points higher, but with the new crop showing a net loss of 4 to 7 points. Sales for the day were estimated at 500,000 bales. The opening was steady at a net advance of 2 to 3 points, a little better than due on the cables, and there was some selling on the prospects for more favorable weather in the South. But it was soon seen that there was an urgent demand from old crop shorts, and with July in New Orleans scoring a sensational advance during the early session, prices here rapidly worked up to a net gain of about 11 to 18 points led by July, which sold at 9.34, or nearly a cent above the low figures of last March. Trading was exceedingly active on the advance, with demand general, but offerings were also very heavy and after a period of irregularity during the middle session, the market weakened in the trading, closing at about the lowest point of the day on everything but the active old crop months, which were sustained by the fear of bull manipulation in all three of the big markets. Liverpool was a little under expectations at the hour of the local opening but advanced promptly in response to the early strength of American markets and private cables said that the near months were firmly held.

The day's weather map was hardly favorable, owing to continued low temperature in the West, but the forecast was for warmer weather. Southern spot markets were generally 1-8 to 1-2c higher.

Receipts at the ports today, 15,516 bales, against 9,743 last week, and 13,130 last year. For the week, 65,000 bales, against 70,640 last week, 93,982 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,937 bales, against 6,692 last year, and at Houston, 2,056 bales, against 1,190 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady, 10 points higher; middling uplands, 11.55; middling gulf, 11.80; sales, 63,150 bales. Futures closed steady.

Month.	Open.	Closing.
May	10.12	10.13
June	.....	10.15
July	10.18	10.21
August	10.15	10.11
September	10.15	10.05
October	10.35	10.27
November	10.41	10.28
December	10.42	10.32
January	10.54	10.41
February	.....	10.55
March	.....	10.61

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 11 7-8; net receipts, 5,265.

New Orleans—Firm, 11 1-2; net receipts, 1,937.

Mobile—Firm, 10 7-8; net receipts, 436.

Savannah—Firm, 11; net receipts, 3,240.

Charleston—Firm, 11; net receipts, 5.

Wilmington—Steady, 11; net receipts, 167.

Norfolk—Steady, 12; net receipts, 1,066.

Baltimore—Nominal ,11 3-4.

New York—Steady, 11.55; net receipts, 309.

Boston—Firm, 11.55; net receipts, 54.

Philadelphia—Firm, 11.80.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 15,516; Great Britain, 1,119; Continent, 5,136; Japan, 3,037; stock, 573,806.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 52,496; Great Britain, 33,360; France, 139,036; Continent, 21,228; Japan, 4,522.

Total since September 1, at all ports—Net, 9,379,728; Great Britain, 3,485,832; France, 852,697; Continent, 3,122,254; Japan, 223,149.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts, 2,056.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-8; net receipts, 102.

Memphis—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 830.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 1-4; net receipts, 427.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 407.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-4.

Total today—Net receipts, 3,822; gross receipts, 5,015; shipments, 7,565; sales, 4,194; stock, 249,110.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, May 1.—Closing cotton: Spot, moderate business done, prices 12 points higher. American middling, fair, 7.64; good middling, 7.10; middling, 6.56; low middling, 6.22; good ordinary, 5.56; ordinary, 5.10. The sales of the day were 7,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 6,000 American. Receipts, none. Futures opened firm and closed firm; American middling, G. O. C.: May, 6.12 1-2; May and June, 6.11 1-2; June and July, 6.06; July and August, 6.02 1-2; August and September, 5.92 1-2; September and October, 5.85; October and November, 5.77; November and December, 5.75; December and January, 5.74; January and February, 5.73; February and March, 5.74 1-2; March and April, 5.76.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 1.—The dry goods market opened quiet and firm for the month. At an auction sale of rugs, 300 buyers were present from all parts of the country. The goods were sold rapidly and at times the sale was exciting. Prices were generally in favor of the buyers by about 20 per cent. Returns from the jobbing houses show that April sales were largely in excess of last year. A larger business is being done in bleaching goods and domestics.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, May 1.—Money on call, firm, 2@4 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 1-4; closing bid, 2 1-2; offered at 3. Time loans, very full and easy; sixty days, 3 1-2 nominal, and 90 days, 3 1-2 @ 4 per cent.; six months, 4 1-2@4 3-4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, firmer with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8625@4.8630 for demand and at 4.8330@4.8335 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84 and 4.87. Commercial bills, 4.83. Bar silver, 65 7-8. Mexican dollars, 50 7-8.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. Reg	102 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. new 4s reg	129 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou ex int	150 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	73 7-8
American Tobacco Co. 6s	106
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95
Baltimore @ Ohio 4s	100 5-8
L. & N. Unified 4s	101
Seaboard Air Line 4s	75
Southern Railway 5s	110 3-4
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd ex int	97

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	95 1-8
American Sugar Refining	124 3-4
American Tobacco pfd cert	91 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line	103 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio	99
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	89
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 7-8
L. & N.	119
New York Central	118 1-4
Norfolk & Western	77 1-2
Norfolk & Western pfd	81
People's Gas	92 1-4
Reading	111 3-8
Reading 1st pfd	84
Reading 2nd pfd	81 7-8
Southern Pacific	84 7-8
Southern Pacific pfd	117
Southern Railway	21 3-4
Southern Railway pfd	67 5-8
Tenn. Coal & Iron	143
U. S. Steel	37 1-8
U. S. Steel pfd	101 1-4
Va-Car. Chemical	27
Va-Car Chemical pfd	103
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	525
Western Union	82 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 1.—FLOUR—Firm, but quiet.

CORN MEAL—Firm.

WHEAT—Spot, strong; No. 2 red 88 3-4 elevator; options, 1 3-4@2 1-4c higher; May, 93; July, 91 1-2; September, 92; December, 94.

CORN—Spot, steady; No. 2, 60 1-2 elevator; options, unchanged; May, 60; July, 58; September, 58.

OATS—Spot, firm; mixed, 47 1-2.

LARD—Firm; Western prime, 8.80 @8.90; refined, steady.

PORK—Steady.

TALLOW—Firm; city ($2 per package), 5 7-8; country (packages free), 5 5-8@6 1-8.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.26; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.76; molasses sugar, 3.02; refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot, quiet; No. 7 Rio, 6 5-8; No. 4 Santos, 7 5-8c; mild coffee, dull; Cordova, 9@12 1-4. Futures, 5 points higher to 15 points lower.

BUTTER—Firm; extra creamery, 22 @27; official prices, unchanged.

CHEESE—Unchanged.

EGGS—Nearby selected white, 21; choice, 20; brown and mixed extras, 19 1-2@20.

FREIGHTS AND PEANUTS—Quiet and steady, unchanged.

POTATOES — Irregular; Florida, new, per barrel, 3.00@5.00; old, 1.75@2.10.

CABBAGES—Steady, unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL—Firm and higher on bullish crop news and covering. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 38; prime Summer yellow, 47; off Summer yellow, 42 1-2@44; good off Summer yellow, 43@44 1-4; prime white, 52@53; prime Winter yellow, 51@52.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 1.—Reports of freezing weather in the West and Southwest caused an advance today of more than two cents in the price of July wheat which closed 2@2 1-8 higher. Corn is up 3-4@7-8 and oats 1 3-8@ 1 1-2. Provisions are 2 1-2 to 10 higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—May, 80@80 3-8; July, 83 5-8; September, 85 3-8; December, 86 3-4.

Corn—May, 50 1-2; July, 50 1-4; September, 50 1-2.

Oats—May, 46 7-8@47; July, 43 1-2; September, 36 3-4.

Mess pork, per barrel—May, 15.62 1-2; July, 15.90.

Lard, per 100 pounds—May, 8.62 1-2; July, 8.75; eptember, 8.90.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—May, 8.62 1-2; July, 8.72 1-2; September, 8.82 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 Spring wheat, 82@85; No. 3, 75@84; No. 2 red, 79@80 3-4; No. 2 corn, 50 1-4@50 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-2@50 3-4; No. 2 oats, 46 7-8@47; No. 3 white, 41 3-4@45 1-2; No. 2 rye, 68 1-2; short ribs sides (loose), 8.35 7-8 @ 8.62 1-2; mess pork, per barrel, 15.62 1-2@15.75; lard, per 100 pounds, 8.62 1-2; short clear sides (boxed), 8.62 1-2@8.87 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 1.—Turpentine, firm, 67 1-2 to 68; rosin, firm.

Savannah, May 1.—Turpentine, firm, 63@63 1-2; sales, 710; receipts, 231; shipments, 110. Rosin, firm; sales, 989; receipts, 412; shipments, 718; stock, 20,740. Quote: A, B, C, 4.40; D, 4.50; E, 4.50@4.55; F, 4.65; G, 4.70; H, 4.80; I, 5.00; K, 5.15; M, 5.20; N, 5.30; WG, 5.35; WW, 5.45@5.50.

Charleston, May 1.—Turpentine and rosin, unchanged.

MARINE

CLEARED.

Str. Johnson, Singletary, Clear Run, W. J. Meredith.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, May 1.

C. C. Railroad—8 barrels tar, 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—50 bales cotton, 135 barrels rosin, 4 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—68 bales, 8 barrels tar.

A. & Y. Railroad—29 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 77 barrels rosin, 14 barrels tar.

Str. Johnson—13 casks spirits turpentine, 122 barrels rosin, 24 barrels tar.

Str. Duplin—20 bales cotton, 220 barrels rosin.

Str. Lyon—3 casks spirits turpentine, 100 barrels rosin, 37 barrels tar.

Total—167 bales cotton, 18 casks spirits turpentine, 654 barrels rosin, 95 barrels tar, 5 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Nimbus, 910 tons, Peck, C. D. Maffitt.

Reliance (Br.), 191 tons, Coumans, C. D. Maffitt.

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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover: Superior Court.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court rendered at April Term, 1907, in the case of the Brunswick Grocery Company et al. against J. A. Taylor, the undersigned Receiver, appointed by said decree, hereby gives notice to all creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., having claims against the said business conducted at Cronly, N. C., alone, to present the said claims to him, or to John D. Bellamy & Son, attorneys, properly verified on or before the 25th day of May, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of the creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., participating in any of the assets of the said firm.

This the 23rd day of April, 1907.

J. A. TAYLOR,
Receiver.

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We will occupy our new store in the new Garrell Building June the first. We are determined to not put one single piece in there ever shown on our other floors, therefore must sell what we have on hand.

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F. W. DICK, Cashier.

Notice of Election

FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON AND FOR BONDS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT AND WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter, entitled Towns, subdivision 7, of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905 and in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1907 session, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to Issue Bonds for Street Improvement," and in accordance with the provisions of another act passed at the 1907 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington to Issue Bonds for Water and Sewerage"; and by virtue of the powers therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of the City of Wilmington on the 7th day of May, 1907, between the hours of eight o'clock and sunset of said day, for the election of two Aldermen from each of the five wards thereof; and also to determine whether the City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Street Improvement, to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons; and further to determine whether the said City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Water and Sewerage to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of such bonds and coupons.

At said election all qualified voters of the City of Wilmington shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, upon which shall be written or printed the names of two electors from each of the five wards of the City of Wilmington to be voted for as members of the Board of Aldermen of said city. And all qualified voters who favor the issuance of bonds to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars $(400,000) for Street Improvement, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Street Improvement" written or printed thereon; and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a ballot of similar size with "Against Street Improvement" written or printed thereon.

And all qualified voters who are in favor of the issuance of bonds to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) for Water and Sewerage, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a similar ballot with "Against Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon.

For the purpose of the elections as authorized by said Chapter entitled "Towns" of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, and as authorized by the Acts aforesaid, no new Registration of the Electors for said elections shall be required, but the Registrars hereinafter named shall revise the registration books of their wards in such manner that said books shall show an accurate list of all electors previously registered in their wards and still residing therein, without requiring said electors to register anew.

And the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards in the City of Wilmington, and the persons hereinafter named are appointed as Registrars and Judges of Election in the said wards, to-wit:

First Ward, polling place—Hose Reel House, Fourth Street Bridge: Registrar—Isaiah West; Judges of Election—W. H. Coleman and C. O. Knox.

Second Ward, polling place—Old Court House: Registrar—C. T. Smaw—Judges of Election—Roger Moore and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward, polling place—Giblem Lodge: Registrar—A. G. Hankins; Judges of Election—L. B. Sasser and C. D. Morrell.

Fourth Ward, polling place—Worth's Ice House: Registrar—T. G. Pickett; Judges of Election—J. S. Williams and D. L. Gore.

Fifth Ward, polling place—Market House at Fifth and Castle Streets: Registrar—J. W. Gafford; Judges of Election—T. G. Landen and Thomas Lossen.

For the purpose of allowing any elector, residing in any of the wards of said city, and etnitled to register, whose name has never before been registered, and does not appear in the revised list, to register, the Registrars in each ward between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. on the 19th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th days of April, 1907, and between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. on Saturdays, the 20th and 27th days of April, 1907, shall keep open the registration books of said ward for the registration of any new elector as aforesaid; and on the second Saturday before election day, to-wit, the 27th day of April, 1907, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. the registration books shall be kept open at the polling places in each ward for the inspection of the electors of said ward and any of the electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said book.

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, this the 3rd day of April, 1907.

JNO. J. FOWLER,
City Clerk and Treasurer.

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FIFTY INJURED IN CHICAGO FIRE

Hundred People Penned in Burning Building Struggled at Narrow Window.

MANY OF THEM WOMEN

During Panic They Pushed Each Other From Fire Escape and Fell to Alley to Be Jumped on By Others.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 1.—More than 100 persons were penned in a burning building today at 255 Wabash avenue, and narrowly escaped with their lives. Fully half of these persons were injured in the panic to escape, but none is expected to die.

Many of those who were only slightly hurt made off in the confusion without assistance. Several received their injuries while assisting women from the building.

The building is a four story structure, the first floor of which was occupied by the Story & Clark Piano Co., and the second floor by the Lotus Lunch Club. The two upper floors were unoccupied. The injured were either patrons or employes of the lunch club. The inside of the building was burned out, causing a loss of $50,000.

The fire broke out shortly before the usual rush of the lunch hour had begun. The number of patrons in the place was said by Mrs. Cecilia Malaney, one of the proprietors, to be about 75. The employes of the establishment numbered 25 .

The fire started in the basement, it is presumed, from some defect in the electrical apparatus. It spread with great rapidity up a freight elevator shaft in the rear of the building. With one elevator filled with flames, the other elevator rendered useless and th stairway choked with fire and smoke the only escape left to the people who had not made their way to the street at the first alarm, was through a small window at the back which opened on a fire escape leading to the alley. About 80 persons were caught with only this chance of safety Most of these were women and they made a frantic rush for the window, fighting fiercely in an effort to escape. Those who first stepped on the fire escape were almost immediately pushed off and thy fell to the alley twenty feet below. Before they could rise or get out of the way others fell or jumped upon them. The women piled upon each other in a mass, from which they were drapped as quickly as possible by men from neighboring stores; but every one of those who came out of that rear window was injured in some manner, except the last half dozen who were rescued by firemen.

FREIGHT RATES IN SOUTH.

Cases Heard Against Coast Line and Other Railroads.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Washington, May 1.—Arguments were heard today by the Interstate Commerce Commission in three cases involving freight rates in the South. They were on the complaints of J. J. Waxelbaum & Co., of Macon, Ga., against the Atlantic Coast Line, alleging unreasonable rates on peaches from Macon to points in the East; the Commercial and Industrial Association of Union Springs, Ala., against the Central of Georgia Railway, alleging discrimination against the complainant in favor of certain cotton compresses in which the defendant is interested, and the Commercial and Industrial Association against the Louisville & Nashville and other railroads, alleged to be charging unreasonable rates from St. Louis, Nashville and Memphis to Union Springs, Ala. The Commission took the arguments and briefs filed under consideration.

BASE BALL.

American League.

Washington, Philadelphia, rain.
Boston, 4; New York, 3.
St. Louisfi 0; Cleveland, 2.
Detroit, 3; Chicago, 3. (Called at end of 14th on account of darkness.)

National League.

Cincinnati-Chicago, cold.
Philadelphia-Brooklyn, rain.
Pittsburg, 3; St. Louis, 0.
New York, 7; Boston, 4.

Southern League.

Atlanta, 0; Birmingham, 5.
Nashville, 0; Montgomery, 2.
Shreveport, 0; Memphis, 1.
Little Rock, 0; New Orleans, 6.

South Atlantic League.

Macon, 5; Jacksonville, 0.
Charleston, 6; Atlanta, 1.
Columbia, 0; Savannah, 2.

Virginia League.

Lynchburg, 3; Richmond, 3 (11 innings, called darkness).
Danville, 5; Portsmouth, 2.

BALLOON SAILED 130 MILES.

America Went Up at St. Louis, Landed in Illinois.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Golconda, Ill., May 1.—The big balloon America in which McCoy and Aeronaut Chandler sailed from St. Louis last night, landed one-half mile from Shetlerville, Ill., ten miles from Golconda, this afternoon. Swinging ropes caught in the branches of a tree and brought the flight to a sudden end, damaging the silk gas bag. The aeronauts landed safely and are bringing their deflated balloon to Golconda.

Golconda is situated on the Ohio river in the southeast extremity of Illinois It is 130 miles on a bee-line southeast of St. Louis.

Go to Gaylord's today for values—Manufacturers' Sale. **

CUBAN POLICE FIGHT AMERICANS

Sailors From Gunboat Tacom Attacked With Guns and Machetes at Santiago.

TEN WERE SHOT AND CUT

One American Shot in Lung and Skull Fractured and Will Die—Another Severely Wounded and Others Badly Injured.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Santiago, May 1.—The conflict here yesterday between police and sailors of the Tacoma followed an orderly banquet, which was given at the Cafe Leon de Oro by a party of first class seamen of the cruiser. At 1 in the morning the men separated and 12 of them went to the Cafe Union. They were not intoxicated. A police captain, named Iay, who was in citizen's clothes, had been watching this cafe all the evening with seven or eight policemen to support him. At about 2 o'clock in the morning the seamen started for the wharf with the intention of boarding the Tacoma. Captain Iay claims that the seamen started the trouble, and the sailors claim Captain Iay, without any provocation, caused the disturbance. As the enlisted men of the Tacoma had been hindered by the police on their way to the wharf, Ensign Brisbin decided to walk slight ahead of the party. Suddenly he heard a revolver report, and immediately afterwards the police charged with revolvers and with machetes. Brisbin received an ugly cut on the arm and was felled to the ground three times.

A fierce fight ensued, with the result that Henry L. Lee, a fireman of the Tacoma, will probably die of a compound fracture of the skull, caused by a machete, and a gunshot wound in the right breast. Ten other members of the crew of the Tacoma were taken to the ship's hospital suffering from machete wounds and clubbing. Not one of the policemen was badly hurt, though several of them suffered from fist concussions.

The captain and all of the policemen who participated in the affair have been suspended by order of the civil governor of Santiago, upon the representations of Commander Tappan, of the Tacoma, and the American consul, Mr. Holladay, who affirm that the lives of the American officers and men who go ashore are not safe while such men are acting as agents of the law. Mr. Holladay is making a thorough investigation of the accident.

Washington Informed.

Washington, May 1.—The Navy Department has recived a cablegram from Commander Wood, of the Dixie, at Havana, transmitting a report from Commander Tappan, of the gunboat Tacoma, now lying at Santiago, Cuba, stating that trouble had occurred between some of the sailors of that ship on shore leave and the local authorities.

Commander Tappan cabled that ten of the personnel of the Tacoma were injured in the attack by the police of Santiago. These were: Henry J. Lee, fireman, second class, fracture of skull, gunshot wound of lung, condition serious; Ensign A. T. Brisbin, Frank Leghorn, electricians, first class; Elmer F. Anders, apprentice seaman; Charles B. Shackelton, machinist's mate, first class; Glen Cavender, seaman; Harry J. Sturdevant, electrician, first class, and Louis Cline, ordinary seaman, cuts and bruises, but not serious; Leslie B. Dustin, seaman, compound fracture of left forearm, serious injury,and Claude J. Pember, electrician, third class, incised wound of left forearm, a severe injury. Commander Tappan's dispatch states that these men, with the exception of the ensign, composed a liberty party of the Tacoma, and were attacked by the police while returning to their ship at half past 1 o'clock yesterday. No cause is assigned for the attack, but it is supposed that the men were, perhaps, singing, as sailors are apt to do when they have had a happy evening ashore and on returning to their ship.

Commander Tappan reports that he is making a full investigation into the cases, and as matters have quieted down in Santiago there is no apprehension of any further disorder.

Sailors to Blame.

Hanava, May 1.—The reports received at the Governor's palace indicate that the fight between police and sailors at Santiago yesterday was merely one of several brawls in which the sailors are alleged to have been aggressors. The Governor of Santiago has telegraphed to Governor Magoon that two such flights have occurred and the municipal authorities have been directed to prevent further breaches of the peace.

Mayor Mesa, of Santiago, who arrived here today, reported to Governor Magoon that another conflict, caused by a sailor attacking a woman in a disorderly house, occurred on Sunday. The police were summoned to arrest the man and the sailors and marines in nearby saloons went to the rescue of their comrade. The Mayor adds that several men were injured on both sides and that one Cuban was arrested and subsequently discharged.

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ANOTHER WOMAN DID KILLING

Mme. De Massey on Witness Stand in Gustave Simon Murder Trial.

MAN HAD BAD DISPOSITION

Defense Sets Up That DeMassey Woman Was Victim of Unusual Circumstances — Intimation That Another Woman Shot.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 1.—In support of his contention that Mrs. Anisia Louise DeMassey, the so-called baroness, who is on trial on a charge of having murdered Gustave Simon, was the victim of unusual combination of circumstances, her counsel today called to the stand Michael Goode, a former city marshal, who told of an encounter he had with Simon eighteen years ago. He had gone to Simon's place of business to serve papers upon him for non-payment of a bill, he said, and Simon shot him twice. He has been a cripple since as a result of the wounds. Goode said he would not have believed Simon under oath.

Mrs. DeMassey was then called as a witness. She said that when she notified Simon that she intended to leave, her employer told her to call on the following Monday and he would pay her. She called as agreed and while she was awaiting his arrival another woman came in to wait for him. Mrs. DeMassey said that when she asked Simon for her wages he told her he would not pay her and that she could sue for the money. "Mr. Simon simply opened the door and shoved me into the hallway," added Mrs. DeMassey. She walked downstairs and did not see Otto Sichel at the fourth floor, as he had testified. She walked out to the curb and signalled for a car to stop just as a policeman placed her under arrest. She declared that she was not in the building after leaving Simon's office and that she did not shoot Simon.

When she was taken back into Simon's presence after he was shot, Mrs. DeMassey said Simon said nothing. When she was taken to the police station Policeman Wersensky said: "Leave this woman to me. I'll fix her."

Mrs. DeMassey said that the station house matron took her in charge and made a thorough search of her clothing for weapons. None was found.

In rebuttal Policeman Werzensky denied saying, "Leave this woman to me. I'll fix her."

William Simons, a negro, testified that he had seen Mrs. DeMassey with a revolver in her hand in 1905.

Mrs. DeMassey, re-called, said that Simons' testimony was a lie. The defense then rested and Mr. LeBarbier moved for his client's discharge. When he was refused he said he was not prepared to commence summing up. The court then adjourned for the day.

DEWEY'S VICTORY AT MANILA.

Ninth Anniversary Celebrated in Washington Last Night.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 1.—The ninth anniversary of Admiral Dewey's victory at Manila was celebrated tonight at an informal dinner and annual reunion of the "Manila Bay Boys." Admiral Dewey and a number of those who fought with him, together with other naval officers, veterans of the Spanish-American war, gathered around the banquet board. About 30 covers were spread. Read Admiral Lamberton acted as toastmaster, while Admiral Dewey presided over the reunion, which followed the dinner.

"You may fire when you are ready, Gridley." Admiral Lamberton's reference to this famous order, credited to Admiral Dewey, as his fleet steamed into the zone of shot and shell from Spanish ships and forts in the Bay of Manila on May 1, 1898, was the signal for prolonged cheers tonight. Among those present at the banquet were Rear Admirals Lamberton, Dyer, Walker, Ford and Inch; Medical Directors Price and Wise; Captains Colvocorresses and Howard; Commanders Briggs, Fiske, Ransom and Bailey; Lieutenant Commanders Kemmerling, Beach, Caldwell and Irvin; Lieutenants Scott, James, Kamanaugh and Wood, and Colonel Berryman, United States Marine Corps, all of whom were with Admiral Dewey at Manila.

Admiral Dewey was busy today receiving congratulations of officers who fought under him. He received scores of letters and telegrams of congratulation and several of the foreign naval officers called to extend their best wishes.

FATE OF EVERETT WEBSTER.

Sighted by Steamer Water Logged and Abandoned—Crew?

The following Associated Press telegram was received last night with reference to the schooner Everett Webster, which sailed from this port with cargo of lumber from the Hammar Lumber Company, of Little River, S. C., and aboard which was Mr. Ed. Smith, a son of Policeman and Mrs. A. D. Smith, of this city:

"New York, May 1.—The schooner Everett Webster, of Philadelphia, which sailed from Wilmington, N. C., for Philadelphia, March 29th, was sighted waterlogged at sea on April 29th by the steamer Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, which arrived here today from Bremen. The Webster's main sail was set and the officers of the steamer believe she had been on fire. No word of the schooner's crew of six men has been received here. She was built at Camden, N. J., in 1883, and was 383 tons net register."

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE—Rev. William P. McZenzie, of Cambridge, Mass., a member of the Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., will deliver a lecture of Christian Science in the Court House Monday, May 6th, at 8:15 P. M. The public is invited. Admission free. may 2-3t

ANNOUNCEMENT—I wish to give notice to the general public that I have opened a laboratory in Room No. 2, second floor, Worth's building, Grace and Nutt streets, for the examination and analysis of anything. Dairy and canned goods products, beverages, strong liquors, etc., etc. Particulars attention given to all kind of water and mineral analysis. Consultation free; prices reasonable. A. N. Dubois. may 2-2t*

WANTED—City salesmen to sell The Perfected Hydro-Carbon Gas Lighting System. Call at Green's drug store or Orton Hotel at once. Standard Gillett Light Company, of Greensboro, N. C. may 2-1t.*

SALESMEN WANTED to sell gas lamps of Standard Gillett Light Company, of Greensboro. See State Manager at Orton Hotel. may 2-1t.*

ANYONE WISHING to see or talk with the Pocomoke Guano Company will phone 86 or call at Seaboard office. B. B. Pridgen, manager. apr 30 1w.

A GOOD CARPENTER is wanted for a day's work at the Star office apr 30 2t.

BOARD AND ROOM for married couple or two young men. Apply 212 Walnut street. apr 30 tf

FOR SALE—One of the nicest cottages on Wrightsville Beach; ten rooms; water and sewerage; situated on the widest and highest part of the beach and between the Seashore and Tarrymoore Hotels. Address Box 194. apr 28 6t.

BOY about 13 to 14 years old is wanted at the Star office to sweep out, bring water, etc. apr 28 3t

WANTED—A name for the new and up-to-date confectionery store and ice cream parlor that we will open May 10th in the new Bear building, next to the telephone office, on Princess street. For the best suggestion from a lady before May 5th, we will give handsome silk, gold-handle parasol. Address D. L. T. Capps, Box 535, City. apr 25-tf

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the following cars will not run beyond Wrightsville except on Sunday: Ten, 11:30 and 1:30 o'clock. apr 25-tf

THE VERY BEST WAY to save money is through the Co-operative Building and Loan Association. A new series (the 17th) opens Saturday, May 4th, 1907, and subscription to stock is being taken now. Call at the office of the Secretary, 124 Princess street, and let him know how many shares you want. If you don't know about B. & L., ask him all about it. 25 cents each share; worth $100 at maturity. Thos. H. Wright, Secretary. Wm. E. Worth, President. apr 16-tf

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Masonic Temple, May 2, 1907.
WILMINGTON LODGE, NO. 319, A. F. & A. M.
Emergent Communication this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock for work in M. M. degree.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
By order W. M.
THOS. F. BAGLEY,
may 2 1t Secretary.

May Musical Festival and Lawn Party,

Wrightsville Sound,

on Lawn at Atlantic View Hotel,

Thursday, May 2nd.

Cars Every Half Hour after 6:30.
Last Car Leaves Sound 11 P. M.
CONCERT BEGINS 8:30.
For Benefit Building Fund, Wrightsville M. E. Church South.
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CORNELIUS HARNETT COUNCIL, NO. 231, R. A.

Brothers:—You are hereby notified to meet at Council Hall this, Thursday, afternoon at 4 o'clock to attend the unveiling of the Cornelius Harnett monument.
By order of the Regent.
H. BURKHEIMER,
may 2-1t Secretary.

ATTENTION W. L. I.

All members will report at Armory at 4 o'clock P. M. today, may 2nd, to attend the unveiling of Cornelius Harnett Monument.
P. L. CANTWELL,
First Sergeant
By order
W. F. ROBERTSON,
Captain.
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